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ALASKA STATE HISTORICAL RECORDS ADVISORY BOARD (ASHRAB) CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE AWARD

The <u>ASHRAB Certificate of Excellence Award</u> recognizes and publicizes archival excellence by individuals, institutions, agencies or organizations. In October the ASHRAB will consider outstanding projects that merit a <u>Certificate of Excellence Award</u>. Archival categories under consideration include, but are not limited to:

- Arrangement & Description
- Milestone Projects (motion picture film preservation, format conversions)
- Exhibit or Public Event
- Publications, Guides & Finding Aids
- Rescue Event (endangered records preserved)
- Disaster Response Activity (post flood, fire, earthquake)
- Innovative Projects (something that has never been done before)

The ASHRAB solicits and encourages submittals of *Award* nominations for significant projects that have been accomplished. Individuals, institutions (libraries, historical societies, museums), agencies (local, state, federal), and organizations (Red Cross, Rotary, business groups) are encouraged to submit nominations to the State Archivist electronically or by letter, describing and documenting the individual or group's significant contribution. No selfnominations will be accepted.

The award winner(s) will be announced October 3 at the Alaska Historical Society Annual Conference in Seward. The winning recipient(s) will receive a plaque.

Nominations must be received by September 24, 2014. Send to:

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